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Comment on Passing Events.

Judging from the "reception" the people are giving him in the European nations he is visiting, the czar must tremble at every step.

We notice that the Catholic Citizen has also swung the Hon. "Bought" Cockran into line as an "Bought" Cockran into line as an advisor of the people against the danger of Socialism. Well, the people ought to love us for the ene-that he got off at the Yukon exhi-

It is reported that George Ber nard Shaw, the Socialistic smasher of conventions, will shortly visit this country. He is still active in the Fabian Socialist society, but has recently been at loggerheads with the Socialist author, H. G. Wells, over Fabian society tactics.

"Spanish Churchmen Reap an Awful Aftermath for Keeping the People in Ignorance," reads a cen-ter-shot beadline in a Chicago paper. Spain has been kept in fearful ignorance and there are terrible times ahead for it until its people gain their rightful place in the scale of human rights.

The Western Federation of Minadopted a call for a conference of trodden masses: all miners' organizations in the country for the purpose of forming an offensive and defensive coalition. The proposition was warmly cr. announces that all preparations tion. The proposition was warmly er, announces that all preparations to a championed by Secretary Hayes of the Illinois United Mine Workers, been completed and that the strike have mer vacation. and the indications are that a great will be launched if the government combine of mine workers to cover the whole continent will come

Socialism is decidedly up for discussion in Catholic publications, being discussed in the form of fair discussed in the form of fair consideration in reviews that circulate principally among church scholars and priests, and cussed sensationally by Catholic newspapers, some of which use it to wheedle Socialism is decidedly up for dis-

The government is now trying dollars out of the big capitalists, to bar trusts from army contracts. who are glad to contribute to any We thought there were good trusts as well as bad trusts!

Judging from the "reception" devil take the rest." All of which

Be composed, timid friend, There

"There is no danger of Socialism here. The reason is that the average American boy today, the same as fifty years ago, starts out from his bome to see what he can make of himself and he wants the reward honesty and perseverance entitle him to.

We should think the question was not whether the boy wants the re-ward of his industry but whether he gets it. And anyway the quotation shows what vapid stuff our present great men can utter.

We take the following from the dispatches from the uprising in Spain, showing that the Socialists are exerting their influence to bring something of public good from the ers, by almost unanimous vote, have passionate revolt of the long down-

passionate revolt of the long down trodden masses:

"The Socialists are working handinglesias, the Socialist leader, announces that all preparations for a general industrial strike have been completed and that the strike will be launched if the government carries out its threat to break up the anti-war meetings planned by the workers.

"The latest outbreak is reported at Saragossa, where women employes of the cotton mills went on serious and content of the sum of the same playes of the cotton mills went on serious and so the reichstag was sent home.

[From our European Correspondent]

[Furst von Bulow, had to resign. The Centrum (Catholic party) is once more master of the situation. In order to understand the situation in the centrum had, together with the Conservative party (composed of titled and rich land owners of principally Prinssia), dictated the laws the reichstag. We are all familiar with the results of that election that were passed in the German parliament. This majority was even too reactionary for the government of reactionary Prussia, and so the reichstag was sent home.

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To E. T. Melms, Secretary Mitwaukee County Campaign Committee, 344

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for a sturdy resistance to the rein-tional Bank in Milwaukee had apforcements now en route to Barcecement and one-story in height have funds. been thrown up in a number of streets and hundreds of well-armed this judicial leniency, and person-revolutionists now man their de- ally, the young man having been a

occasions us little uneasiness. We much prefer discussion to silence—and discussion never hurt any worthy cause.

At the recent Kenosha (Wis.) has gone no further than the distance which has come to him the distance through his false step. For it was and begin his five or more years of the strikers. "Which led the president of the police and fire board. The young bank clock by ident of the police and fire board, Z. G. Simmons, Jr., to order the police force to 'SHOOT AND SHOOT TO KILL,' if it became necessary. Simmons is a son of finsed. Then the invention was last. It appears that young Sint-nrons' bloodthirsty utterance voiced the capitalistic side of the led the press to amounce an uncontrolled riot at Kenosha, come from that side. Had it come from the state murther battalions would have rushed upon the scene without a moment's delay.

Federal Judge Sanborn last week suspended sentence on a young man like could exert himself to save the sum of the short and the state murther same class as the judge. The judge could in such a case feel sympathy and understand the suffering and disgrace entailed, and suspended sentence on a young man like could exert himself to save the it in the onward march of social

pay all expenses and also for the building in thirty years. This, with the fact that the land is continually

a purchaser should it become neces

Unlike other stock companies

where returns - dividends - are

never forthcoming until an income

from the business is established, ar-

forcements now en route to Barce-propriated to his own uses about a lona. Barricades made of earth and thousand dollars of the bank's

We have no fault to find with playmate of our youth, we rejoice, At the recent Kenosha (Wis.) has gone no further than the dis-would have been waved away with

The young bank clerk has inventive genius. Out of his inventhe big brass bedstead manufacturer, at whose big plant labor has who needed it knowing that he had also had a hard time of it first and not the means to follow very far in In every court in our land tothe courts.

suspended sentence on a young man he could exert himself to save the it in the onward march of social who as an employe in the First Na- young man from the ferocity of the evolution.

Social-Democrats in German Political Situation

[From our European Correspondent] [Fürst von Bulow, had to resign. flowed freely; it was proven that

law which he considered severe. But had it been the case of

young man from the working class. he actual wage-working class, the average judge would have remained stony-hearted doubtless added a severe lecture upon the criminality of the prison-

near and dear relatives, the same rights and human considerationsbut what is working class anguish and humiliation to anguish and hu-

day-not to mention the unspeak-The judge in suspending sen-tence—the maximum penalty would—the heavy hand of the law is controversy, as the shoring that have been five years at the state descending upon young men who led the press to announce an inpenitentiary said he did so on accontrolled riot at Kenosha, come count of the family and the welfare tions the rich can never even un-

frage or voting system in Prussia became loud; and finally, when the government brought in its bills in

regard to the financial reform, the

crisis came and the Conservatives went back to their old love, the

terly regardless of the needs, rights

In order to make an end to this

condition, and to pass new revenue

expenses of the government, the

of new taxes, to be levied on th

space to go into the long and tire-some details, which I will be will

ing to furnish any comrade on demand; it is sufficient for the pres-

ent to point out some of the main

features and those which were the bone of contention, so to speak, be

other and which formed the stumbling block upon which the Con-servatives and Liberals split and rent the block in twain.

Up to now, and owing to the

failing of the government's plans,

enue, that is the income of the Ger man government, is derived from indirect taxation. In fact, every-

thing here is taxed, so far as

tween the Liberals on hand and the Conservatives on the

various industries, spirits, etc. It would take too much time

essues.

A Protest Against Philipp II.

By Victor L. Berger.



CCORDING to dispatches from Spain—which that government censors, of course—the revolution in the contract of the course—the revolution in the course in th ernment censors, of course—the revolution in Barcelona was drowned in blood.

That uprising was said by the Spanish Captain-General to have equaled the Paris Commune of 1871 in intensity and revolutionary fervor.

But as far as we can judge, the uprising in Barcelona was neither Socialistic nor Anarchistic.

It was a general revolt of the people of all classes in Barcelona against the rule of the priests and courtiers in Madri I. And Barcelona being one of the few manufacturing towns in Spain, the factory proletariat naturally furnished the greatest mass of the fighters.

The immediate cause for the uprising was that a number of Spanish capitalists and the Jesuits (who are great business men) had secured mining property on the reef in Morocco which the native

The Spanish government sent troops. They were badly routed Melilla with a loss of 3,000.

Then the Spanish government called in the reserves in order to send 25,000 more to Morocco.

However, people live now in the twentieth century, A. D., and not

in the seventeenth century, even in Spain.

And, modern ideas, particularly also anarchistic notions, having

taken toot among the working men and women in Barcelona, they resisted the enforced recruiting for the service in Africa. They simply thought that as long as the young men were to L. shot down anyway, they should die in their own cause rather than for the greed of Spanish courtiers and speculating priests.

And most of the population of Catalonia sympathized with the

To understand the condition, we have to go back a little in Span-

The modern Spatish monarchy originated with Ferdinaud, King of Aragon and Catalonia, marrying Isabella of Castile at the end of

However, the Catalonians have never agreed to the centralized government of Madrid. During the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries several great uprisings of the Catalonians had to be put down by bloody force.

The Catalonians still uphold the doctrine of local self-government.

Besides, there is also another reason.

As I said, it was not a Socialistic uprising.

The Socialist movement in Spain is very weak. In a country where 65 per cent of the people can neither read nor write, and where the priests, together with the nobles, still own the nation, a strong

they happen to be workingmen, they usually become anarchists.

And, considering the type of government in Spain, no free mun

Yet some of the eunuchs in our capitalist press do so as a matter

Says Uncle Ike's coolie in the Milwaukee Free Press of Weilnesthy morning: "No measure can be too severe to punish the ring-leaders of this carnival of anarchy."

Why? No doubt the best men and women of Catalonia were in

That they did not succeed is simply due to the fact that the peopl

The Commune in Paris in 1871 could resist, because 500,000 pro-letarians hall been equipped with modern arms in order to fight the Germans. And the leaders of the Commune were bright enough to secure immediate possession of all the fortresses around and about

But the poor workingmen in Barcelona were unarmed and were simply slaughtered by the Spanish troops—murdered by the sons of the Spanish peasants who are still mere clay in the hands of the

According to some dispatches, a thousand men and women were

Since the outbreak, 130 Socialists in Bilboa, the only place in

The question might be asked: Has all this blood flowed in vain?

Have all those noble men and women given their lives for nothing

King Alfonso, the half-idiotic lout on the Spanish throug, had better take warning. While the movement against him is neither Anarchistic nor Socialistic—the Bourgeois-Republicans of Spain also know how to get rid of tyrants.

And if King Alfonso does not drop the war and does not devote his energies to the internal affairs of his country-such as the separa-

Carlos of Portugal and his son.

And neither the Anarchists nor the Socialists will necessarily have to tend to that unpleasant duty.

They did not in the case of Carlos.

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The rapidity with which the stock has been sold is really marvelous. To raise \$12,575\$ in a few months is no small task here in Milwaukee where we have a purely working-class movement. And yet after all, it isn't strange. After investigating a dozen different buildings and localities, we find that in all cases the rent averages from three to over five accepts a cents are researched. Our job paper can be published. Our job facts in a few paper and building will be so valuation and the solution of the solution of the solution of the paper can be published. Our job facts in a few paper and building will be so valuation will be built are noney beyond their reach. This stock will be so valuation of the published. Our job paper ean be published. Our job purchaser should you be suddenly successive. ment can be made under present conditions. Why then should anyone leave money in the banks, drawing only 2½ or 3 per cent interest? Here's your chance to get four per cent while the building is being constructed, and very likely six per cent or more after that. cent or more after that. Still, while we are boosting this

Realty Company will have both the lot and building at that time. The rise in the value of the land will undoubtedly offset the depreciation of the building. As an investment should not detree the looked. In fact, the new building hand to mouth, so far as its finances should not detreet one joint from hand to mouth, so far as its finances should not detract one iota from meeting the big deficit left over has been a deficit, which had to be from the spring and fall campaigns. has been a deficit, which had to be covered by new loans, new bond for a fine investment that we are now appealing. Remember, the Social-Democratic party is still deeply in debt. Leave no stone in-turned to clear this off immediates There will soon be another campaign and not a single penny of for the finance reform, consisting

Therefore, comrades, do your duty. Make your donations to the party at once! This will help the propaganda of Socialism and wilt wipe out the debt! Do not overlook this and don't put it off. Take a swipe at the debt! Hit it hard! Give it a knock-out blow!

Help one or the other if you can. Both is better still. Send your dobe paid out of the money paid in the paid out of the capital stock, as some have seemed to think. It will be paid by the Promotion Committee, which blanks.

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road tickets, meats, fruits, notes, stocks of the stock companies, and (Frankling to page 4.)

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Besides, there is also another reason.

As is generally known, Spain has had for many centuries the worst and the most priest-ridden government on God's earth.

It was in Spain where the holy inquisition attained its highest development and celebrated its greatest triumphs. It was in Spain where one inquisitor, Father Torquemada—belonging to the Dominican order, by the way—roasted over 10,000 men, women and children at the stake for "heresy" during the ten years of his reign, and tortured at least five times as many to a slow death. It was in Spain where the word "Auto da fe" was coined, and where the hurning of human beings became a feast of the Roman Catholic church.

The possession of a Lutheran or other Protestant tract meant being burned glive. And in human sable cases, people were killed for infinitely less, simply on suspicion, or because they were unfortunate enough to get the ill-will of some priest. solete block was formed, which gave the government a working majority that was composed of the Conservatives, Liberals, Freisinnige and a few minor factions. This block held together as long nothing important came up for dis-The result of all this-is the Spain of today. proposed that threatened the inter-ests of the class possessing the wealth. Soon, however, little dif-ferences began to arise when the demands for a reform of the suf-And it may be said that the uprising in Harcelona was also a belated protest of the genius of the Spanish nation against Phillip 11 and against the "Holy Inquisition."

Socialist party is impossible.

Those who have some education and are not in the government service, are either Republicans and bitterly anti-clerical, or if

that uprising. The anarchists formed only a small part—and not the worst part.

were not armed at all, or badly armed, while the soldiery has the very best of modern guns.

A handful of Boers could resist ten times as many English soldiers in South Africa, because the Boers, besides being brave, were

killed and 2,500 were wounded in a single workingmen's quarter of Barcelong. Reports claim that the women were in the front ranks of

Spain where the Socialist party is strong, have been arrested in prisoned on the charge of conducting rebellious propaganda. Among those arrested is the old leader, Pablo Iglesias, the only Socialist member of the Spanish Cortes (parliament).

Besides—the cause of labor flourishes in the blood of its martyrs.

know, except the air and sunshine, and no doubt this would have been tion of church and state, and the economic improvement of the condition of church and state, and the economic improvement of the condition of the working people—then we would not advise any insurance company in America to take great risk on the life of that Bourbon. Because as sure as the earth is moving around the sun, Alfonso, and possibly his family, will take the same short cut to hell as did King taxed long ago if that were possi-

Victor L. Pouge

Lawyers and

Learn that Harvest Fields are which means that his parents before that time and experience only can crying for "Hands"

Or, maybe he was form tired, the not distant future, with results that time and experience only can reveal.—Farm, Field and Fireside. Crying for "Hands"

sapped of their vitality by the eapitalistic regime. Besides, the dis-Some Points in the Situation They Probably Overlook. City Workers Not Suited, and the Reasons Why turbing demagogue might go on,

By Murray S. Schloss (Written for the HERALD.)



F the unemployment prob-lem—that greatest of immediate questions for lem-that greatest of month and board-in some cases. immediate questions for all grades of labor remains unsolved by day immediate questions for all grades of labor—re-

after tomorrow, you'll know whom center of population in another part to blame. The "Commercial Law of the country where he has the best League" of America, has been convening, and demurring and al- And how look after his own while leging and injunctioning, and disporting itself generally, at Narraporting itself generally, at Narra-good, nice, kind, pot-bellied capi-gainsett Pier, R. I., round the cor-talist to give him a precarious job ner or so from Senator Aldrich's

Assistant Secretary McHarg, of the National Department of Commerce and Labor, chose this merry gathering of banditti to read a pa-per. Let's take up his principal

works, while the farmers are erving in vain for help to harvest their you on the rubbish heap in a few

central Kansas, and go to work? junctions against you, who are And if he's got a family, take 'em elected to congress and the legislating. The western country air'll do 'em good. Cost \$25 or \$50 you say? What of it? 'The average There are lots of them on the Retalist you meet.

ably forgot to mention a few little points that a hair-splitting labor agitator might lay stress on.

And the man out of work is likely to be, very often, the man who has so far worked himself out piling up wealth for the clients of the

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years, when they've worked you when they've worked you will do not the memployed out, all at their own sweet pleasure. shoemaker of Lynn, class, or lt is the members of the Commer-printer of Newark, N. J., take the cial Law league, paid fighters for first train for Podink county, south their clients and getters of in-

only about six weeks. How is Mr.

Unemployed going to support him-

self and his dependents the other 46 weeks. And if he gets \$30 a

chance of finding work at his trade?

But one can't expect so high and

unemployed man spends that much publican ticket-and their fellow every day for whiskey. If you partisans in office act in harmony den't believe it, ask the first capi- with them. There are plenty of with them. There are plenty of them on the Democratic ticket—and Of course, Mr. MeHarg prob- they rule the roost there.

New York.

Municipal Ownership

That special farm training and great muscle power the average city worker hasn't got after years of specialized confining labor in town day. And still the plant pays a higher the great muscle power the average city works employes have an eight-hour for these men to do but to accept for these men to do but to accept the present their wages. There will nothing for these men to do but to accept the present their wages. profit every year. This year, for the conditions and make the best of example, out of the water receipts them—or perhaps join the ranks of \$55,000 will be paid on the interest Socialism. and sinking fund of the new \$500, ooo bonds, thus providing for its own capital for improvements. Then more than ever be able to dictate \$65,000 will be spent on sewer ex-tensions. — The Labarer, Dallas, for its own benefit, make such prices Tex.

> The Oriental Labor Giant The magnitude and efficiency of the mighty labor giant the western may precipitate greater dangers in world has taken so much pains to this great American republic than arouse to activity in China and are even dreamed of by the Morother oriental countries is sug-gested by a report from Shanghai, industrial Napoleons, who are op-China, upon an attempt by American manufacturers to introduce which now voice the protests of the motor trucks and wagons into that city to do its carrying business, Detroit Evening News. city to do its carrying business, from the heaviest down to small parcels sold by retail stores. It was found that such conveyances could not compete with the coolie car-riers of the city, who are strong, quick on foot, reliable, capable of carrying heavy loads in wheelbarrows, handcarts or suspended from the shoulders, and who will work many hours daily for 8 to 10 cents. Neither horses nor motors can compete successfully with such human and says,

labor. It is not reassuring to recall that Union Labeled Bread that labor can easily be taught to operate the labor-saving machines commonly used in the industrial commonly used in the industrial a thousand little driblets, conse-arts by us westerners; which in turn suggests the tremendous pos-in business because his debtors. bor when equipped as our factory as a small matter, and think it would not help much. Continue this

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"Commercial Law league" that he operatives are. That industrial the Workless in the country to or to hours every lethargic slumber, which means that it must be reckoned with in

After Unions Are Crushed-What Then?

Nine years ago, so the story runs I. Pierpont Morgan, during the adjustment of the steel workers' strike of 1901, in a burst of rage said to Theodore Shaffer, then president of the Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel and Tin Workers:

"I'll smash your union for this!" There is another strike in prog-ress in the mills of the United States Steel corporation now, and not a union man is at work in any of them. Morgan has driven the unon out, just as he vowed he would drive it from sliops which em-ployed about 130,000 men, most of them skilled mechanics. In 1901 glorious a personage as Assistant there were 60,000 union men in the Secretary of Commerce and Labor steel mills and 40,000 other work there were 60,000 union men in the McHarg to take notice of such ers were non-umon, "Morganized men. In 1906 the same mills were employing 21,000 union and 87,000 non-union men. In the early part of the present year the figures stood at 8,000 unionists and 110,000 nonunionists. When these 8,000 men struck against a reduction in wages the steel corporation declared that in which the men struck would hereafter run as "open shops If the trust is able to defeat thes

8,000 men, Morgan will have kept his word. The union will be smashed in the mills of the steel trust. When this job is completed Mr. Morgan will be able to say just how many nickels and dimes per day he will pay to each of 130;-000 men without fear of interfer Unorganized, the men will not be able to force wages upward toward the rising cost of living. But if they try to find employment in independent mills they will sim-ply glut the market with surplus power to do farm work so as to be worth your salt in harvesting crops. That special farm training and great muscle power the average city.

for its products as it pleases and devise such snares as it may deem surest to crush competition.

The crushing out of union posed to the only organizations

Why Editors Dun

The following appears on a bill head of a western country weekly:
"Suppose that a farmer raises 1,000 bushels of wheat a year, and sells this to 1,000 persons in all parts of the country, a great por-tion of them saying, "I will hand you a dollar in a short time." The farmer does not want to be small, and says, 'All right.' Soon the t.000 bushels are gone and he has nothing to show for it, and then he realizes that he has fooled away his whole crop and its value is due in

kind of husiness year in and year out, as the publisher does, and how long will he stand it?" Endorsements of R. A. Dague's Pamphlet, "What Is Soctalism" What Is Capitalism?"

Pamphlet, "What Is Socialism?"
What Is Capitalism?"
Rev. Edward J. Ward, of the board of education of Rochester, N. Y., writes: "Your pamphlet "What Is Socialism? What Is Capitalism?" is just what we need." Please send me \$2 worth of them."

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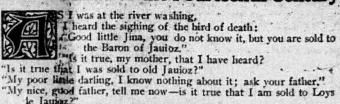
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le Jauing?"
"My beloved child, I know nothing about it; ask your brother."
"Lannik, mybfrother, tell me now—is it true that I am sold to that lord there?"

"Yes; you are sold to the Baron, and you must be off at once. Your price is paid—fifty crowns of the white silver, and as much of the

yellow gold."

She had not gone far from the hamlet when she heard the ringing of the bells; whereat she wept.
"Adien, Saint Ann! Adien, bells of my fatherland;

Bells of my village church, adieu!"

"Take a seat and rest thee till the repast is ready."

The lord sat near the fire; his beard and hair all white, and his eyes like living coals.

"Behold the young maiden whom I have desired this many a day!
"Come, my child; let me show thee, crown by erown, how rich I am;
come, count with me, my beauty, my gold and my silver."

'I should like better to be with my mother, counting the chips on the

Let us descent, into the cellar and taste of the wine that is sweet as honey

"I should like better to taste the meadow stream whereof my father's horses drink.

Come with me, from shop to shop, to buy thee a holiday cloak." "I should better like a linsey petticoat that my mother has woven for

Ah, that my tongue had been blistered when

I was such a fool as to buy thee, Since nothing will confort thee!"

Dear little birds, as you fly, I pray you, listen to me: You are going to the village whither I cannot. You are merry, but I am sad.

Remember me to my playmates,
"To the good mother who brought me to light,
'And to the father who reared me; and tell my brother 'I forgive him."

Two or three months have passed and gone, when, as the family are sleeping. A sweet voice is heard at the door.

"My father, my mother! for God's sake, pray tor me— "Your daughter lies dead on her bier."

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(Continued from last week.) CHAPTER XI.



OHN SMITH, do you know what Socialism is? You have heard it lenounced many a time, and it is said that you do not believe in it; but you do not know what it is. and Good or bad, wise or foolish, it is all I have to offer set rearchy for the many evils of which I have been com-

Good on had, wise or foolish, Socialism is the only remedy in sight. Noneing its opponents none of your friends, the members of congress, oldritade union leaders, editors, parsons, priests, lawyers, and men of substance have any remedy to offer at all.

and then of substance have any remedy to offer at all.

Some of those are sorry or excless to be sorry, that there is so much misery in the land; some of, them offer a little mild charity, and some a little feelle legislation, but there is no great, radical cure to be heard of except Socialism.

What is Socialism? I am going to tell you, and I ask you to listen patiently, and to judge fairly. You have heard Socialism reviled by speakers and writers. You know that the pope has denounced it, and that bishops have denounced it. You know that men like Herbert Spencer, August Belmont and Theodore Roosevelt have written and spoken against it, and doubtless you have got an idea that it is as un-worthy, as miwise and as unworkable as such men say it is. Now, I

will describe it for you, and you shall draw your own conclusions.

But, before I tell you what Socialism is, I must tell you what Socialism is not. For half our time as champions of Socialism is wasted in denials of false descriptions of Socialism; and, to a large extent, the anger, the ridicule and the argument of the opponents of Social-ism are hurled against a Socialism which has no existence except in their own heated minds;

Socialism does NOT consist in violently seizing upon the prop-

Socialism does NOT consist in violently seizing upon the property of the rich and sharing it out amongst the poor.

Socialists do NOT propose, by a single act of congress, or by a sudden revolution, to put all men on an equality, and compel them to remain so. Socialism is NOT a wild dream of a happy land where the apples will drop off the trees into our open mouths, the fish come out of the rivers and fry themselves for dinner, and the looms turn ont ready-made suits of velvet with gold buttons without the trouble of coaling the engine. Neither is it a dream of a nation of stained-glass angels who never say damn, who always love their neighbors better than themselves, and who never need to work unless they wish No: Socialism is none of these things. It is a so

of national government, entirely wise, just, and practical. And now let us see.

For convenience sake, Socialism is generally divided into two

2. Ideal Socialism.

Really, they are only part of one whole, Practical Socialism being a kind of prelimiary step toward Ideal Socialism, so that we might with more reason call them Elementary and Advanced Socialism. I am an Ideal Socialist, and desire to have the whole Socialistic

program come about. Practical Socialism is so simple that a child may understand it.

lt is a kind of national scheme of co-operation, managed by the statethat is, the people. Its program consists, essentially, of one demand—that the natural resources and instruments of production shall be the common property of the people, and shall be used and governed by the people for the people.

Make the bind and all the instruments of production collective

state control, as you have already put the postal and telegraphic services under state control—and Practical Socialism is accomplished.

The postal service is the standing pre of of the capacity of the

state to manage the public business with economy and success.

That which has been done with the postoffices may be done with mines, public utilities, railways, and factories.

The difference between Socialism and the state of things now in existence will now be plain to you.

At present, the land does not belong to the people, but to a few rich men. The mines, mills, ships, shops, canals, railways, houses, docks, harbors, and machinery do not belong to the people, but to a

few rich men

Socialists say that this arrangement is unjust and unwise; that it entails waste as well as misery, and that it would be better for all, even for the rich, that the natural resources and other instruments of production should become the property of the state, just as the postoffices have become the property of the state. Socialists demand that the state shall manage the railways, and the

mines, and the mills, just as it now manages the postoffices.

Socialists declare that if it is wicked and foolish, and impossible,

for the state to manage the factories, mines and railways, then it is wicked and foolish, and impossible, for the state to manage the post-Socialists declare that as the state carries the people's letters more cheaply and more efficiently than they were carried by private enterprise, so it could grow corn, and weave cloth, and work the railway systems more cheaply and more efficiently than they are now worked by private enterprises.

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Socialists point out that if all the industries of the nation were put under public control, all the profit, which now goes into the hands

of a few idle men, would go into the coffers of the state - which means that the people would enjoy the benefit of all the wealth they This, then, is the basis of Socialism, that our country should be

owned by our people, and managed for their benefit, instead of being owned by a few rich idlers, and mismanaged by them for the benefit of themselves.

But Socialism means more than the mere transference of the

wealth of the nation to the nation.

Socialism would not endure competition. Where it found two factories engaged in under-cutting each other, at the price of long hours and low wages to the workers, it would step in and fuse the two concerns into one, save an immense sum in the cost of working and finally produce more goods and better goods at a lower figure than were produced before.

But Practical Socialism would do more than that. It would educate the people. It would provide cheap and pure food. It would extend and elevate the means of study and anusement. It would foster literature, and science, and art. It would encourage and reward genius and industry. It would abolish sweating and jerry work. It would demolish the slums and erect good and handsome dwellings. It would compel all men to do some kind of useful work. It would create and nourish the craftsman's pride in his craft. It would protect women and children. It would raise the standard of health and morality; and it would take the sting out of pauperism by paying pensions to honest workers no longer able to work.

Why nationalize the resources and instruments of production? To save waste; to save panies; to avert trade depressions, famines. strikes, and congestion of industrial centers; and to prevent greedy and unscripplous sharpers from enriching themselves at the cost of the national health and prosperity. In short, to replace anarchy and war by law and order. To keep the wolves out of the fold, to tend and fertilize the field of labor, instead of allowing the wheat to be strangled by the tares, and to regulate wisely the distribution of the seed-corn of industry so that it might no longer be scattered broadcast-some falling on rocks, and some being eaten up by the birds of the air.

I will now give you one example of the difference between Socialism and the existing system.

Take the soap trade: There is one firm which spends over \$500,000 a year in advertisements, and the head of that firm makes \$500,000 a year in profits. Socialism would save all that advertisement, and would pay a manager a reasonable salary and produce the soap at less than its present cost, whilst paying the workers good wages for shorter hours than they now work.

You will observe that under Practical Socialish there would be wages paid; and, probably, the wages of managers would be higher than the wages of workmen; and the wages of artists, doctors, and other clever and highly trained men would be higher than those of

Under Ideal Socialism there would probably be no money at all, and no wages. The industry of the country would be organized and managed by the nation, much as the postoffice now is; goods of all kinds would be produced and distributed for use, and not for sale, in such quantities as were needed, hours of labor would be fixed, and every eitizen would take what he or she desired from the common stock. Food, clothing, lodging, fuel, transit, amusements, and all other things would be absolutely free, and the only difference between a statesman and a miner would be the difference of rank and occupation.

I have now given you a clear idea of what Socialism is. If I portant tasks remain for me to do. &

First, to give you some idea of the means by which I think So-Seconds to answer the chief arguments commonly used against

What we have to find out is, can Socialism be established, and

And is Socialism just and desirable; and practicable if we can succeed in getting it? (Continued next week.)



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The Chicago Board of Education is now composed wholly of ap-pointees of Mayor Busse, who was elected by a natural affiliation of big business interests and hoodlam politics. Big business had excellent motives for electing him, and these included absolute domination of the Chicago public

That object has now been apparently secured.

The new president of the school board is the general counsel of Armour & Co. (of the beef trust) who is flanked by the president of the glue trust, which is to the beef trust as a braneh to a tree.

The energy and skill of the combination is supplied by a high official in the steel trust, a man of

ficial in the steel trust, a man of commanding faculties, of untiring zeal, of limitless resource, and of unbroken fidelity to big business ethics.

The Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad company supplies the lego-intellectual balance in the person of its general counsel, a lawyer of broad legal acquirements of the older philosophical as well as the more modern empirical kind, a man of old-fashioned ethics that seem to groan and cry out in agony labor which big business hopes for seem to groan and cry out in agony under the unescapable pressure of big business ethics, and a corporation servant who from the very nature of that employment is necessarily always on duty.

and tabor uniona fear.

On the contrary, we should expect that the turning of the public eshools into supply stations for strike breakers would make organized abor much more powerful—in the long run, and not a very long run, either—than it is today.

But against the hig business the la-

not a very long run, either—than use is today.

It might, indeed, he its salvation. For organized labor needs better tactics than it uses now in its struggle for a decent livelihood for the hired man class; and out of this high business perversion of the public schools, the needed tactics might In three of these four representatives on the Chicago school board, big business has an almost irresist-

Nor is it likely that there will be any outhreak in the board against these big business leaders. Besides the four named above, several members, enough to make up a comfortable majority, are minor representatives of big business in vary-ing degrees, who will answer to the big business roll call. There are still other members, who will come in out of the storm whenever be come in out of the storm

Labor unions cannot survive by means of the strike. Unless better labor tactics do evolve, the hired man class must sink into a condition of hopeless servitude.

The fact that organized labor cannot survive by means of the strike is palpable, whether the reason for it be understood or not. But evidently be understood or not. But evidently
the reason is that strikes are battles
in which all the effective weapons
are on the other side.

Labor strikes may yet be won, as
they have been, against unprivileged
business men, who are as truly workers as the men they hire. For these,
when they laek the co-operation of
big business, are as destitute of modern weapons as the strikers themselves. heavy weather signals are run up.

But above all other present considerations, except as they may be necessary to this one, is the purpose of big business to utilize the public schools in comprehensive ways for baffling organized labor. The idea was suggested to big husiness by the use the Chicago Teachers' Federation made of labor organizations in its campaign against tax dodging corporations, whereby this body added a quarter of a milliou-dollars annually to the school treasury. Unsupported by any civic organization, bitterly fought by all the elements that make up or

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The Issue

A Word to the Non-Socialists

By Wm. Restelle Shier

ITHER you believe in

then you stand for its contrary

If you stand for capitalism, then

ou must know, my friend, that

based upon a colossal folly and a

are standing for an industrial sys-

Capitalism is based upon tw

tem based upon piracy and war.

Now, what is competition?

to defend this state of affairs.

surdity.

Yet you have the foolbardiness

Surely you will not continue do-

ing so when you realize its ab-

For, mark you, if you continue

doing so, then you take the impos-sible position that competition is

is better than organization.

Now, as to the piracy claim.

How do I make that out?

Simply enough.

capitalism.

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If you do not stand

COMPETI-

for Social-Democracy.

Without labor, capital would be the welfare of the many. absolutely useless. Pile it all into a field and it would deteriorate tion of labor and the emancipation ather than increase in value.

But under capitalism, labor produces. The proof of this lies thought at the proof of this lies. Socialism or you n the following figures:

In 1904 the miniber of productive workers in the United States was 23,450,000, of whom 16,250,000 belonged to the wage working class and 7,200,000 to the middle class.

The total wage value of their layou stand for an industrial system bor power was \$6,950,000,000. The total value of their product

was \$41,450,000,000. Therefore, the share of productive labor in its product was only 22

In standing for capitalism you per cent. The other 78 per cent went into the coffers of the master Is not this legalized robbery or

principles, namely, COMPETITION and the PRIVATE OWN-ERSHIP BY THE FEW OF THE MEANS WHEREBY THE MANY MUST LIVE. colossal scale? Then what are you going to de

about it? Submit to it forever?

No, a thousand times, no.

Then what?

Is it not the struggle of man against his fellow man? A fight of Simply quit defending capital-ism and work for its overthrow. Socialism may not be all that your each against all and all against each? In short, is it not-WAR? heart desires, but it is the only alternative to capitalism. You must stand the one or the

The choice is between economi

dayery and economic treedom.

Between monopoly under private control and monopoly under public better than co-operation, that war control. is better than peace, that strife is better than concord, that anarchy Between having the corporations

own the people and having the people own the corporations.

Between the continued exploita-

Between the interests of the caplitalist class and the interests of the

How do you choose? Canada.

The Curse of Classes

The history of all hitherto existing society is the history of class struggies.

and plebeian, lord and serf, guiland plebeian, lord and serf, guild laws of God, and of His manner of of the arguments advanced against master and journeyman—in a word regulating the affairs of men he Socialism. An illustration of this oppressor and oppressed-stood in onstant opposition to one another and carried on an uninterruptednow hidden, now open-fight that each time ended either in revolutionary reconstruction of society at contending classes.

In the earlier epochs of history we find almost everywhere a com plicated arrangement of society into various orders, a manifold gradation of social rank. In ancient Rome we have patricians, knights, plebeians, slaves; in the middle ages feudal lords, vassals, guildmasters, journeymen, apprentices, serfs; in almost all of these, again, subordinate gradations.

modern bourgeois society that has sprouted from the ruins of with class antagonisms. It has but struggle in place of the old ones.— Dr. Karl Marx.

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The Men Now Promoting Socialism are Not Safe Men

chanic, one of the members of my church, came in to see me and presumed to tell me what certain portions of Christ's gospel meant. And I asked him whether he, a sawman, would presume to teach me, called of God. I told him that if wanted to know about machinery would come to him, but that if se wanted to know of the eternal

hrough the schools.
"To this he replied that if he

Now Rev. M. went on to say that this was undermining anthority, and was certainly dangerous ground, for if men once deny the arguments against Socialism. authority of God's ambassadors there will be no more restraint.

I then advised that if he considered those now in control unsafe, he should come in at once himself and there would be then at least one safe man in the movement. Of course he explained why he could not do that just at this time.

I then called his attention to some of the men who were controlling the parties through which capitalestablished new classes, new conditions of oppression, new forms of minded him of the boodlers in the late city councils of St. Louis, Mil- by the workers and would become a waukee, Chicago, Philadelphia and mere instrument through which New York; of the investigations in THINGS would be administered in the national postoffice of a few such a way as to enable HUMAN the national postoffice of a few years ago; of the manner of purchasing members of our law mak-ing bodies, and of the thousands of The Citizen goes on to elaborate ing bodies, and of the thousands of fact that not long since it was gen- fants, condescending to recognize erally admitted that the real mayor the mother as the hired nurse in the

of one of our large cities had but tender years of childhood. The a few years before been a captain child at school age would be adopt he ran two large saloons, and made money, then he became a success- state." ful ward heeler, and finally rose into full power.

he considered these safe men, and party today that is protesting

power of concentrated capital; and any rash steps tending to injure even the capitalist himself, who is the country as a whole.

the slave of his wealth rather than its master. The struggle of the working class against the capitalist class, while it is a class struggle is These were business men, and he we are living under a business what governmen and so any "old" kind of a business man is considered passally safe.

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Rev. M. thinks there are many working man's government are not good principles involved in Social-ism, but that the men who are now from those of the business men in control of the party through and the business men's pureachers, which Socialism is finding expression are not safe men. "Why," tice and righteousness and the sion are not safe men. "Why," tice and righteonsness and the said he, "just the other day a me-teaching of Christ; the latter upon profit and exploitation. Working men are beginning to interpret Christ's gospel to their own uplift-ing and hence they are unsafe to all classes of parasites.

Baseless Charges

A few days ago the Daily So-ialist commented on the weakness hould come to one who had gone point comes most opportunely, from the columns of the Catholic Citizen, which we are informed is one of a wanted to know the needs of the chain of papers in process of estab-working class, he certainly would lishment by Humphrey J. Desmond, not come to us men of God."

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It devotes its entire space to the "state tyranny" argument, saying that "In the Marxian theory the state is everything, the individual nothing—a mere cog in the linge machinery." Needless to say, he gives no quotations from Marx or any expounder of Marxism to prove this statement. The reason for this omission is easy. THERE ARE NO SUCH OUOTATIONS. On the contrary, Marx pointed out that the state would lose nearly all its cocreive features when controlled HEINGS to develop their individ-

ollars spent to purchase seats in this fundamental falsebood; "The hese taw making bodies; of the state would take the new Lorg inof a base ball nine, that afterwards ed by the state and educated in ac-Again no proofs are offered to back up this statement, and every I urged him to tell as whether gives it the lie. It is the Socialist whether they were in any mann and inder his authority, or whether they had any regard for the laws of God or man.

He admitted that they were bad men, but that they had property, and were good business men and therefore were not likely to take any rash steps tending to min respect to the country as a rabele.

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selves.

But against the hig business the labor strike cannot win a lasting victory, and the time seems near at hand when it cannot win at all. A labor strike which big business resists, is like a battle to the death between ably-generaled soldiers equipped with rapid-fire guns, and unfortressed savages with bows and spears, or against a mob with sheath knives and brick bats. If the strike becomes a riot, all the forces at the command of soggainst it. If the strikers resort to secret acts of violence, all the forces of society are and must be used to ferret out the perpetrators and punish them as eriminals. If the strike remains passive, a little extra pay, temporarily, will secure strike breakers enough to wear out the strikers and drive them in desperation to intolerable breaches of the peace or the commission of revolting crimes. At its best, a strike against big business pits impoverished workers against laxury-bursting captains of industry, in an unequal contest of endurance.

Turn the subject over in any way you can still there is no execuse from these are assured are freedom, culture and higher human development possible. To produce food, cloth-ing and shelter, land and machinery Turn the subject over in any way you can, still there is no escape from the conclusion that the labor strike cannot prevail against big business. And fear of strikes, once so effective, are needed. Land by itself does not satisfy human needs. Human labor gets raw materials and food out of the soil by creating machinery and using it upon the land. Whoever has control of land and machinery in spite of the organization of struggle for economic independence. And fear of strikes, once so effective, in no longer potent.

Before labor organizations can cope with big business, they must revise their tactics from the ground up; something which the turning of the public schools into supply stations for strikebreakera might lead them into

are owned by a rapidly decreasing minority. So long as machinery is simple and easily handled by one man, it does not make its owners so The Socialists: Who when machinery becomes more and expensive, and requires for its effective operation tem of production are the regularly recurring industrial depressions and erises which paralyze the nation workers, its influence reaches over wider and wider eircles of life. The owners of such machinery be-

come the dominant class. The Masses in Subjection In proportion as the number of such machine owners compared to all other classes decreases, their power in the nation and in the world increases. They bring ever larger masses of working people under their control, reducing them to the point where muscle and brain are their only productive property. Millions of formerly self-employing workers thus become the helpless wage slaves of the industrial mas-

the ruling class grows, the less useful does it become in the life of the The overwhelming bulk of the useful work of the nation falls upon the shoulders of the classes that either have no other productive property but their manual and men-tal labor power—the wage workers -or that have but little land and little effective machinery outside of their labor power—the small trad-ers and small farmers. The ruling minority is steadily becoming use-less and parasitie.

A bitter struggle over the divi-sion of the products of labor is

waged between the exploiting prop-ertied classes on the one hand and the exploited, propertyless class on the other. In this struggle the wage working class cannot expect adequate relief from any reform of the present order or from the domi-

of capitalists is permitted to use all the country's resources and social will free not only their own class, tools for their individual profit, and but also all other classes of modern to make the production of the necessaries of our lives the object of today exploited by large capital their competitive private enterprises more indirectly but not less effectheir competitive private enterprises

an spite of the organization of trusts, pools and combinations, the capitalists are powerless to regulate production for social ends. Industries are largely conducted in the face of the all-conquering power of concentrated capital; and dustries are largely conducted. dustries are largely conducted in a planless manner. Through periods of feverish activity the strength and health of the workers are merci-lessly undermined, and during peri-ods of enforced idleness the work-

effort of many recurring industrial depressions for exploitation, is the rock upon uence reaches over and crises which paralyze the nation which class rule is built; political every fifteen or twenty years.'
In its mad and reckless race for

profits the capitalist class is bound to exploit the workers to the very limit of their endurance and to sacrifice their physical, moral and men-tal welfare to its own insatiable greed. Capitalism keeps the masses of workingmen in poverty, destitu-tion, physical exhaustion and ignorance. It drags their wives from their homes to the mill and factory It snatches their children from the playgrounds and schools and grinds their slender bodies and unformed minds into cold dollars. It wanton-ly disfigures, mains, and kills hun-dreds of thousands of workingmen annually in mines, on railroads and in factories. It drives millions of workers into the ranks of the in-employed and forces large numbers of them into beggary, vagrancy and all forms of crime and vice.

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The struggle between wage workers and capitalists grows ever

nant-class of society.

The wage workers are therefore fiercer, and has become the only ist class rule, but by working class the most determined and irreconcilable antagonists of the ruling people. The wage-working class, they are also the class which therefore, has the most wital and ternational brotherhood of man,

capitalist system. But in abolishing the present system, the workingmen society: The small farmer, who is

privileges.

Must Conquer the Political Power.

The private ownership of the land and means of production used land and means of production used government is its indispensable instrument. The wage-workers can not be freed from exploitation with out conquering the political power and substituting collective and dem-ocratle administration for private ownership of the land and the means of production used for ex-

The basis for such transformation is rapidly developing within the very bosom of present capitalist society. The factory system, with its immense machinery and minute division of labor, is rapidly destroy-ing all vestiges of individual production in manufacture. Modern a collective and social process, while the great trusts and monopolies which have sprung up in recent which have sprung up in recent years have had the effect of organ-izing the work and management of some of our main industries on a national scale, and fitting them for

In the struggle for freedom the interests of the workers of all nations are identical. The struggle is not only national, but international. It embraces the world and will be carried to ultimate victory the united workers of

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Naturally, the Socialists were

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many business men and others said,

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gains at the next election are sure

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in Germany, toward progress, are

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out the danger that lies in this fact.

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that there are almost more children

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The last session of the

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od-Class Matter, August 20, 190

The state committees of Idaho is a very heavy fine for tax-dodgand lowa have appropriated the ing in Germany-something like respective amounts of \$10.10 and five times the amount of the tax \$5.00 for the Minnesota primary defrauded as fine and then the real law contest.

German Political Situation

a host of other things too numerous to mention. If a house or a piece of land is sold the government takes 2 per cent of the sum paid as tax. If you-live in a city, you pay 2 marks living tax (Wohn) woman, having an income of more than 500 marks (\$125,00) yearly pays an income tax. I don't want to say whether these taxes are fair or not. I marely marks are fair to say whether these taxes are fair to say whether the say that the say the say that the say the say the say the say that the say that stener), and everyone, man or or not. I merely want to show that everything taxable had about already been taxed when the new nents; their position is secure and reichstag assembled.

Now, it is an open secret that to come. the large landed estates in Prussia reichstag has proven to every are undervalued from 50 to 100 thinking man that the greatest per cent, and in consequence pay taxes that are far too low. There the Conservatives, for during this have been cases known where a landowner who gave his session they showed that they have daughters, when they married, a down of from 100,000 to 200,000 that they ges farther than their pocket, that they are willing to sacrifice all marks, paying less income taxes that they are willing to sacrifice all the rest of the German people if the munificent salary of 1,500 marks a year. So you can see that tax-dollars is a few seems of 1,500 marks dollars is a few seems of 1,500 marks a year. dodging is a fine art among the dodging is a title at a large of the Prussian props and pillars of the Prussian throne, also. Now, the government revenue bill provided for a That is graduated inheritance tax. That is, it is proposed to take a small percentage of the money, or value, that was left behind when some rich man or landowner died, as a tax, and a help toward running the covernment. But although every the covernment but although every that the covernment of the cover fairminded man and no doubt by far the greater majority of the German people were in favor of the constant of government. But although every German people were in favor of est competitors of alcohol are tea this inheritance tax, the Conservatives would have none of it. For, mark per kild was placed. That is mind you, it wasn't the tax on the inheritance alone that they did not want; by far the greater fear was that the government in order to be able to collect this tax would endrunkenness, immorality, all that deavor to learn the real value of the estate left by the deceased, and then the tax-dodging would have been discovered and there would then be a devil of a remark of the deceased, and then be a devil of a remark of the deceased, and then be a devil of a remark of the deceased, and then be a devil of a remark of the deceased, and then be a devil of a remark of the deceased, and then the tax-dodging would have been discovered and there would be deceased, and then the tax-dodging would have been discovered and there would be deceased.

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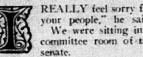
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"Perhaps not," I answered.

"Well, let me tell you." pulled out a drawer of his desk to militia. rest his foot upon and threw himelf-back in his chair. "The most cangerous and subtle thing is cor-The Civic Federation is reption. using that method with masterly zations, foment division inside of leaders of the union, the organization. They divide the "But this opposition from the conservatives. They lend, not weaken it."

awaken suspicion and hatred by cre-REALLY feel sorry for ating two warring factions that sition; but that is the least of the your people," he said, make united action in the labor measures taken to destroy union

> well as other organizations. It is hate their bosses, your finish is near. the work of all organizations and And I want to tell you, without the game is to divide you," he re- mincing words that the trade un-

"Spies, traitors and false leaders industrial battle."
"Well, then, new organizations will be formed," I declared. are employed to foment disorder destroy you. Have you ever real and to create division. They supply reports to the basses, keep them informed as to what is going on and in time of strike use their ef-

"Yes, that I know," I replied.

"And the greatest power wielded by the opponents of unionism is be riot and sedition." their political power. They own "And that's where you'll lose; the political machine and through he answered. skill. It doesn't bny leaders out-them control the police, the militia, "I am sorry, but that will right. That could not be done. It wins them with dinners, confer-the courts. When a strike is too visionaries is that you have ences, patronage. The second powerful to be overcome by any of control of the state. You have the method is warfare. The Manufacturers' Association takes care of force the state to take a hand and them. You could today possess the that. Wherever there is a strike through some arm of the govern-it supplies the funds, leads the bat-ment break the strike. The in-could dictate legislation, direct the the and uses its vast influence, fin- junction is the supreme weapon the ancial and political, to crush the how often we see now the courts haven't the intelligence. Rome was strike. The third method is distying up the funds of the union, once a republic and so reas America. Rome became a tyranny and the suppressing all the rights of the union. Civic Federation and other organi- ion and even sending to jail the

sheep from the goats. The radicals "will strengthen unionism in the gence and your people are innocent

"Yes," he answered, "open oppo-We were sitting in a committee room of the senate.

mators and congressmen what is going on. The en in the country come "Yes, the Civic Federation as to hate each other more than they

"And there, too, you are wrong," he insisted. "The courts intend to make any form of industrial organforts to encourage violence and ization impossible. Strikes have He other causes for bringing in the heretofore been legalized revolts hereafter they are going to be considered riot and sedition.

"Well, then," I said, "there will

"I am sorry, but that will be your ruin. The trouble with you on and even sending to fail the America is following in her foot-aders of the union."

"But this opposition," I declared true. Democracy requires intelli-

lof any suspicion of intelligence."

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long poured upon what was scorn-

fully called "the female mind."

There is no female mind. Th

brain is not an organ of sex. As

well speak of a female liver.

Woman's progress in the arts

fessions, is steady; but it is most unwise to claim from these relative

to men, or even their equality, in these fields. What is more to the

purpose and easily to be shown is

the superiority of the woman of to-

day to those of earlier times, the

immense new development of racial

qualities in the sex. No modern

proverbs, if we expressed ourselves

obey or disobey, and be handed here

.In the fiction of today women are

they do. They are showing quali-

reactionary novelists, the efforts of the heroine are shown to be entirely

In the face of so vital and so size of the modern woman, with its the day show the same development. The change in human life as this change of economic base in the position of women, it is well to call attention more at length to the illustrations of every-day facts type, indeed to the properties of roman and they represent a noble the illustrations of every-day facts type, indeed to the letroines of roman common lives, which he who are and day to day are of a difference of the proventies of the letroines and the properties and the proventies and the province of the letroines of the letroines of the letroines and the province of the letroines of the letroines and the province of the letroines runs may read, if he knows how to read. We do not, as a rule, know how to read the most important messages to humanity—the signs of the times. Historic crises, which have been slowly maturing, burst false modesty, the utter falseness upon us in sudden birth before the of elaborate compliment and service majority of the people imagine that gallantry which went with the other anything is going on. The first falsehoods—all these are disappear-gun fired at Fort Sumpter was an ing. Women are growing honester, extreme surprise to most of the braver, stronger, more healthful citizens of the Union. The Boston and skillful and able and free, more Tea Party was, no doubt, an un-human in all-ways. Tea Party was, no doubt, an un-accountable piece of insolence to many worthy Britons. When the "delinge" did pour over the noblesse gressively a consequence. Day by of France, few had been really fore-day the bars go down. More and seeing enough to avoid it. seeing enough to avoid it. been discovered and there would average age of the farm hand on then be a devil of a row, for there these big estates is 45 years? And

Fortunately, the laws of social of woman to glean all it can, and evolution do not wait for our re- it has responded most eagerly. cognition or acceptance; they go only our pupils, but our teachers, straight on. And this greater and are mainly women. And the clearwedlock?
This session of the reichstag has had one good side, and that is that it has shown once more that the ergence of the long-subverted human female to full racial equality, German people, and the people all has been going on about us long over this little planet, have nothing enough to be observed. It is seen more prominently in this country than in any other, for many rea-

the only hope of the workingman of sons. and sciences, the trades and pro-The Anglo-Saxon blood, that ever reaching a decent existence lies English mixture of which Tennyson sings—"Saxon and Norman unwise to claim from these relative and Dane though we be"—is the advances the superiority of women most powerful expression of the to men, or even their equality, in latest current of fresh racial life from the north; from those sturdy races where the women were more John Collins, Angust 8 to 14. special trade union propaganda in Inbecause of it. The strong, fresh spirit of religious revolt in the new church that protested against and Geo. H. Goebel, August 8 to 14 broke loose from the old, woke and in proverbs now, would speak with New York.

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wheat flour,
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Add molasses and saft to milk. Add yeast and flour to make soft sponge. Allow to rise until full of gas. Add nats and remaining flour and altow to doubte its bulk. Bake in loaf pans. The load should rise for fifteen minutes after being placed in the oven. It should brown for the next twenty minutes. The heat should be reduced during the last fifteen minutes. A one-pound loaf should bake from fity-five nainutes to one hour. When bread is done it will not cling to the pan. This load is particularly good for sandwich bread and should not be ent for twenty-four hours.

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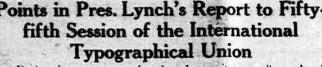
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oard demanded by allies. The headquarters city touched upon, and a convention city recom-

Federated Trades Council. Regular meeting, Aug. 4, 1909, Bro. E. T. Melms in the chair, Bro.

and during normal times.

Alb. Walters vice chairman.
All officers present. Minutes read and approved.

New delegates seated from Carpenters, No. 188; Building Labor-ers, No. 113; Federal Labor Union, No. 8002; Boot and Shoe Workers, No. 170; Lake Seamen; Bar-bers, No. 50; Asbestos Workers, No. 19.

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tion the committee was continued.

The Executive Board reported a recommendation that Painters, No. 222, be seated in the council upon payment of back per capita for two years. Approved The board recommended that Bro. Weber be appointed to look after the various secretaries in the mailing list of the Social-Democratic Herald.

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secretaries in the mailing list of the Social-Democratic Herald.
Approved. The board reported that Favorite stoves made at Piqua, O., were still unfair. Filed. A communication from the Iron, Steel and Tin Workers was read reporting on the big strike in Pennsylvania and board recommended that the accompanying circulars be turned over to the official organ. Approved. The board reported having taken up the case of Plumbers, No. 75. whom the Building Trades Council asked to have suspended from the council for refusal to pay a fine assessed against it, It had also received a delegation from the Bumbers. The board appointed a committee to visit the Plumbers, but the committee was mable to adjust the matter. The board therefore recommended that action be deferred until the next meeting and that the Plumbers answer be communicated to the Building Trades Council. Moved that the report on the Plumbers be not concurred in. Lost. The recswer be communicated to the Building Trades Council. Moved that the report on the Plumbers be not concurred in. Lost. The recnot concurred in. Lost. The rec-on-mendation of the board was then approved. The board recom-mended that the secretary notify

strike at Trettin's bakery, Wright street, was still on. RECEIPTS. Carpenters, No. 522.....\$ 2.10 Steam Fitters, No. 18. rent. 9.00 Machinists, No. 301. . . . 1.05 Carpenters, No. 1586. . . . t.ot John Reichert, Labor Day 5.50 DISBURSEMENTS. Weber, business agent \$ 37.50

the Painters' District Council that

the rent at Headquarters would re-

main the same. Approved. The board recommended the adoption

of a resolution endorsing the reso-

lution of Supervisor George Moer-schel in the County Board to ap-

propriate \$5,000 toward the penny

lunches in the schools. Approved. The Executive Board report was

on motion approved as a whole. The Barbers reported on Sunday

closing, and that the card had been taken from John Sprink, t441 Fond du Lac avenue, for defying

the union and keeping open on

Sundays.
The Bakers asked what had been

done relative to reviving the Wom-an's Label League. Moved that a

committee be appointed to work

out a plan to put the league on its

feet again. Lost.
On motion the agreement be-

tween the Electrical Workers and

Theatrical Stage Epmloyes, growing out of the difficulty at the

Pabst theater, was ordered filed

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with the conneil.

Weber, office expenses 25.30 Sheehan, services.... J. Rader, services..... Wm. Griebling, postage... T. Melms, expenses as E. H. Basenberg, services. Thos. Feeley, services..... Executive Board, meeting.. 4.73

The council then adjourned. Frederic Heath, Recording Secretary.

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Moved to lay over the credens tales of Plumbers' Union, No. 75, until after report of the Executive Board. Carried.

Bro. Feeley reported for the special committee to serve in the Coopers' controversy, saying that it had acomplished nothing at the conference held with the attorney for the Brewers. On motion the report was approved.

Bro. Reichert reported that the sales of Labor Day tickets to date. The Was reported that the purisdictional trouble at the Pabst theater had been auticably settled. On motion the special committee appoint of the Breezial committee appoint of the Breezial committee appoint in termationals. Report filed.

The Mail Trades Council reported that the jurisdictional trouble at the Pabst theater had been auticably settled. On motion the special committee appoint of the Wisconsin State Federation of Labor at Eau Claire made his report on the work of the convention. The convention made a record by transacting a large amount of business in three days and was remarkably harmonious and progressive. On motion the report was received and concurred in.

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Social-Democrats at Work

SCHOOL Directors Want City Branch of State University

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the board never having been filled, the board elected Comrade Brockestablish a branch in Milwaukee, administrative work, and wished to hatrsen to succeed himself. The motion was carried that a tour be arranged for Carl D. Thompson in the latter part of September or the early part of October. It was also completed education because of the and the Social-Democratic memnow having to deny themselves a completed education because of the prohibitive expense of remaining in another city for study. The resolution is a protest against the growing tendency to drive our feet by herself, Mrs. Berger and Machinists, and A. J. Lindemann, manufacturer, to succeed themselves as Trade School directors.

The Heath Resolution,

The following is the full text of the resolution by Director Heath regarding the University:

The budget for the year was adopted.

The president reappointed John I. Handley, business agent of the Machinists, and A. J. Lindemann, manufacturer, to succeed themselves as Trade School directors.

The Heath Resolution,

The following is the full text of the resolution by Director Heath regarding the University:

Socialists in County Board Work for Penny Lunches

Many interesting facts—were left alone without proper food.

Here is a pointer for those who claim that "Socialism would break up the home!"

The proposition to appropriate beasts!"

Well did Keir Hardie characterize such as these—"You well-fed beasts!"

Stoco for this purpose was favor
At the meeting of the Courter charitable and penal institutions

Takes a Stand

In its regular meeting, held Sun-

as their duty to take a stand on the declaration of the Milwaukee Retail Liquor Dealers' Association, cause of the decisions and declarations

through of the amendment to section 1557 of the laws referring to the sale of alcoholic drinks. thered, and inasmuch as we are convinced that said association, nutring the cover of lawfulness and

In its regular meeting, held Sun-

day, July 18, local union No. 9 of the Brewery Workers considered it

needy children after the establishmental or moral viewpoint of those was sent to the District Attorney the prevailing testimony of educa-mane and wise measure. tion for penny lunches for needy needy children after the establish-One of the most significant of tors in all parts of the world, wher-

required to help the police enforce the above law; and,

cause of the decisions and declara-tions of said Beer and Whisky

Whereas, Brewery

Another important fact, although ably reported by the committees, by

One of the most significant of these facts was the statement that many of the children in the public schools require these lunches because their mothers are at work all day and cannot prepare food for their little ones. From one school alone, and this by no means in the poorest district of the city, the principal of the same school, from home all day, and the children that many bad cases of truancy because of the world, wherethese facts was the statement that the tors in all parts of the world, wherethese facts was the statement that ever the system of feeding hungry measure makes for the moral and mental improvement of Milwankee has cause their mothers are at work all proved no exception. A letter from such cannot prepare food for their little ones. From one school alone, and this by no means in the principal of the same school, and intelligent citizens, and since these little ones are actually suffered policy can begrudge expenditure for the making of good and intelligent citizens, and since the moral and mental improvement of Milwankee has chool white this the commission of county institutions again resulted in no choice. On the thirteenth ballot the votes stood: Whitnall, S.-D., 6; Manestold whitnall whitnall sta

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and laws and legislation of the by no means a new one, was the a vote of 3 to 2.

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Ald. Melms Voices Protest of Polish Citizens

Trades Council Urges County Board as to Penny Lunches

which appeared in the public press tions of said Beer and winsay June 27, and which was in favor Dealers' Association the prohibition movement in this city is furnished to see thered, and inasmuch as we are thered, and inasmuch as we are the sale of alcoholic drinks.

'This amendment provides that under no consideration, within the state, shall beer by the pint or other intoxicating drinks be sold or given to any person under 21 years of

hysical and moral disease in its

Remove the Load!

Whereas, Investigation has proved that there are in the public schools of the city and county of bly District introduced a resolution Milwaukee many children who are suffering from an insufficiency of food; and, thousand dollars (\$5,000,00) be set aside as an emergency fund for cators agree that underfed and sufreference. All experienced edustration and dollars (\$5,000,00) be cators agree that underfied and suffering children are in no condition the purpose of purchasing food for fering children are in no condition the underfied school children that for study and that instruction gisten to such children is almost ward.

This amendment provides that under no consideration, within the state, shall beer by the pint or other importance of the wage-earner; there-imposed grinks be sold or given to any person under 21 years of age.

The following was passed:

Whereas, the overwhelming majority of the people of this city, especially the wage-earning class, considers the passage of such a bill to be against liberty, as an unquality of the people of this city, especially the wage-earning class, considers the passage of such a bill to be against liberty, as an unquality of the people of this city, especially the wage-earning class, considers the passage of such a bill to be against liberty, as an unquality of the people of this city, especially the wage-earning class, considers the passage of such a bill to be against liberty, as an unquality of the people of this city, especially the wage-earning class, considers the passage of such a bill to be against liberty, as an unquality of the city of Milwaukee, and crime show that these ill-nour librations, furnish immates for our mately furnish immate waukee county; therefore, be it

Resolved, by the Federated

Trades Council of the city of Milwaukee and its affiliated unions,

That we endorse this humanitarian

midst, and moral disease in its be it further midst, and with this problem of the underfed published in the official papers of the Federated Trades Council.

It was his natural condition, and it was useless to likely of releasing him. "Other professors said it would overtura civilization to left the man get out from sader the dray-sade oil would.

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Aug. 15, have complied with every In the board of aldermen Monday afternoon, Ald. Melms present ed a petition prepared by a big mass meeting of Polish citizens who have been forced to the point of rebellion against the conduct of at least two South Side police officers, who provides a count of the moneys handled by for police authority demanded the fire clubbing of people because they were replaced that demanded the fire clubbing of people because they were replaced as the officers against whom there is the most complaint were given and the demand made that they be dismissed from the serior of the aldermen going to the Research Washes Washes and poor. The makes of the two officers against whom there is the most complaint were given and the demand made that they be dismissed from the serior.

The Research Washes Washes Washes a content of the city to pay the transportation and expenses of the aldermen going to the cannot be addition of more land to the train portraying as accurately as possible; the stirring already city-surrounded burying ground, but the aldermen were disbursed, or failed to disburse, the money. The washes the most complaint to the money. The legislative section.

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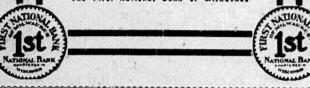




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the asphalt trust-Dave Rose-tax river near Folson place bridge, forth the claim that it is the great indecency and wide-open-town-ism the least. And summer is slipping to Socialism. And yet the Citizen keepers and street railway and the away and the swimming season refuses right along to use the union dives make less money or not. away and the swimming season

> Very craftily the administration aldermen have dropped the additional downtown franchises move Beggs-for the time being. People have become stirred up by the agitations of the Social-Demo rats for air-brakes, by the Social-Democratic franchise amendments, and by the railway commission report, and so it will be better to let the subject rest until the public is less alert. And to help atlay public feeling, which has been rising pret-ty strong, Beggs himself had to make a move and announce new cars with air-brakes. Keep watch-ing the gang, good people! Stay on guard.

Dave Rose vetoed the Weiley resolution asking for information from the Tax Commissioner in regard to red light property believed to represent flagrant tax dodging. The mayor said it was none of the council's business how property was taxed. That all the aldermen had to do was to approve or disap-prove of the tax roll. Yet how can they vote intelligently if they have

MACHINISTS' DAY

Let Wauwatosa Wake Up!

There was a small newspaper to the picturesqueness of Wauwa

arms over the thing.

ment built and water from the river watosa show a rardy appreciation above the village turned into it, of the utility of the dike. and thus a fine water power was secured for the old saw-mili and the water contamination from the grist mill now standing in the center of the village. But the dike was houses for all the residents (male, more than a mere business proposi-tion—it was a source of never-fail- great natatorium building to span ing delight to the young people of a part of the fine body of water, the village—the successive young Let her provide for public skating people for all the years that have and other healthful exercises in farmer boys and the village boys time, congregated there for their swim. Wake up, Wauwatosa! Other for the youngsters and occasionally found, then or now.

If this beautiful and useful asset

better conditions. The right to absent. The families of Socialists fronted with sights to bring the The poor old Harvester scab band had a hard time of it this week.

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The poor old Harvester scab band had a hard time of it this doesn't on the Beggs lines in Milwankee. Mr. Beggs is a kindly gentleman who only believes, in acknowledge. On the other hand, acknowledge. combination on the capitalistic it was filled with plenty of false day on the downtown streets, es-

witness, too numerous to be specified at just this present moment. It ket street. The Park Board met last Tues- is not this we would call attention label, and there is the further fact that the Wiltzins Company, which publishes the Catholic Directory, has a very bad labor record and is

not recognize the union. Talk may be all right, but works are more

of humanity through education and levied by the persons to whom the decency, there floated in through road or canal belongs, for the right decency, there floated in through the open windows the discordant notes of the side show fakirs and the roystering crowds below in the streets set apart by our eminently decent-city fathers for the Home-

coming "Midway."

The situation was typical of city

shows given place along Market street by the city administration

em floating round the Milwankee tosa is lost to the people of that papers last week to the effect that the so-called dike in Wauwatosa was to be ilrained, the embankment leveled and the space now occupied by the half-mile long sheet of water used for railway sidetracks and switches.

It was a small item because probably it was a small item because probably it was thought that it was a lost to the people of that community, they will probably have their own slothfulness of mind to thank for it. Just when all other places are spending money to produce civic betterment, ornamentation and health and recreation utilities, Wauwatosa sleepily says nothing when the calamity herein outlined threatens here ascertain just ably it was thought that it was a awaken. Let her ascertain just small matter. But it ought to be what the ownership of the dike a big matter to the people of Wau-consists in, and of her own rights watosa and they ought to be up in with regard to it. Let her, if neces-The dike was constructed many lamity, either in protecting her ownership rights, if such exist, or city, was in its infancy. A strip a in procuring other land and trading quarter of a block wide was marked it to the railroad for its sidetrack off along the valley, an embank-purposes. That done, then let Wan-

Let it clean it up, protect it from In summer it provided winter and surround the water with splendid bathing opportunities, and parking, seats, boat landings, and a every early summer evening the special caretaker in charge all the

n summer also it afforded fishing communities would give thousands of dollars to have such a beauty a little boating. And in winter a spot as the dike is even now. Don't finer skating pond could not be sit by and see it obliterated to your

Frederic Heath.

If the politicians who run Milday but did not act on the Weiley to here. What may be mentioned wankee cannot have a public affair proposal for public bathing at the is the fact that the Citizen sets for the city without a mixture of Instead the matter was put over to friend of the labor cause and that along with it, it is about time the next week to be looked into a lit- the church is likewise, and that decent element called a decided This action is strange, to say therefore labor has no need to look halt, no matter whether the hotel-

"Neither therroads nor the railstill hostile to the printers and will roads of any mation should belong to any private persons. All means of public transit should be provided convincing. If the cause of labor is believed in, the best way to show mination, where such means are convincing. If the cause of labor is believed in, the best way to show it is to show it.

In There No Decency in Milator in the city half for the uplift work in the city half for the uplift of humanity through education and levied by the persons to whom the of passing over his property, and this right should at once be purchased by the nation and the original cost of the roadway-be it of gravel, iron, or adamant-at once defrayed by the nation, and then the whole work of the earriage of perlife—education trying to lift the people, commercialism trying to demorralize and lower them.

Certainly a good part of the side shows given them.

Shows given them to the carriage of persons or goods done for ascertained prices, ly salaried officers, as the carriage of letters is done now.—

John Ruskin, 1868,

The SUPREME Court!

shows given place along Alarket by the city administration they vote intelligently if they have no right to information regarding the way in which various properties have been assessed! Dave is the "beatenest" framer-up of weird reasons that ever came down the pike. The veto has been referred to a committee.

How must give the Catholic Citizen credit for getting out a relatively clean anti-Socialist edition. The usual clerical descent to filth-throwing was pleasantly of filth-throwing was pleasantly street with their escorts were constituted by the city administration that the city administration that the morals of the town. Milwaukee has not done itself proud in the eyes of homecomers in setting before them such filth and gilded trumpery.

Many of the side shows have presented harem dancers, women trained to disport themselves and flaunt their fleshly charms in a lastic vicious way, and some of these immoral dances have been given with open tent doors so as to be particularly visible from the street. And young girls who strayed along the system itself and treated accordingly as a serious political crime.

The SUPREME Court!

"It is easy to see in the exaltation of the Federal judiciary a survival of the edd mediaeval doctrine that the long can do no wrong. In lact much the same attitude of mind which made momarchy possible may be seen in this country in our attitude toward the Supreme Coort. As long as the popular being in his auperior wisdom and virtue was to destroy the basis of this authority. Hence all erities mof the king or his policy was regarded as an attack on the system itself and treated accordingly as a serious political crime. In the infallibility of the Supreme Court has been manyal that the wealthy was been as the city administration. The supreme Court has been at the order of the rich the sing on womard doctrine that the court was to done the product of the city administration of the file and many to some or the sing on womard the sing can do no wrong. In lact much the sing can do no wrong. In

Court has been much shaken in recent years.....

"It is but natural that the wealthy and influential classes who have been the chief beneficiaries of this system should have used every means at their command to exalt the Supreme Coort and therefore secure general acquiescence in its assumption and exercise of legislative authority."

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These articles are written against municipal ownership.

They purport to be reports from different cities where municipal ownership has been a "dismal and horrible failure."

Many, if not all of these re-ports are either misrepresenta-tions or ABSOLUTE LIES. In case any of the comrades get into a controversy over these alleged reports, write to the headquarters, and we will try to supply you with the facts.

failures" of municipal ownership are reported from towns that never had any municipal plant at

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